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PART VI.

PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOREST DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Notification dated May 1932.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, Bangalore, up to 2 P.M., on the 15th June 1932, for the purchase of Mysore Sandalwood for sale to the public in.—

1. Bangalore City.	3. Cochin State.
2. Travancore State.	4. South India

for *bonafide* domestic and religious purposes (and not for trade or speculative purposes nor for distillation or export) for the period from 1st July 1932 to 30th June 1933.

1. Tender should be separate for each of the areas noted above.

2. Each tender must be accompanied by a sum of Rs. 100 in currency notes as earnest money; in default, it will be rejected; covers containing the tender should be addressed to the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, New Public Offices, Bangalore, and should be duly registered, insured and superscribed "Tender for the purchase of Sandalwood and its sale in... .....". The earnest money will be returned in the case of unsuccessful tenders.

3. The name and address of the tenderer must be clearly and fully given.

4. The final acceptance of the tender will rest with the Chief Conservator of Forests who reserves to himself the right to accept any tender without assigning any reasons therefor.

5. The tender should clearly specify the kind, quantity and dimensions of wood and rate per ton (delivery at Government Koties) for each class of wood required for the period.

6. The quantity for each place is limited to ten tons for the year.

7. The tender should mention the place or places of storage and sale of sandalwood which should always be open for inspection by the Forest Department, any alteration therein requiring previous written permission of the Chief Conservator.

8. Nothing will prevent the Government to sell wood to people in the jurisdiction referred to above.

9. The successful tenderer shall not sell the wood for any purpose other than the *bonafide* domestic or religious use nor sublet the contract.

10. The wood will be made available to the extent of the stock in the koti; but the Department will not guarantee the quantity and no ground of any kind of liability will arise out of such a non-supply.

11. Acceptance of the Koti weights and pre-payment of the full value of the wood are the necessary conditions of the purchase.

12. The tenderer will be bound to keep correct accounts of receipts and disposals of wood and send copies thereof once a month to the Chief Conservator.

In the case of Bangalore City Agency the names and addresses of persons to whom sandalwood is sold should also be given.

13. The successful tenderer shall use Bill Form prescribed by the Department, and counterfoils shall be sent along with the monthly accounts.

14. The tenderer and their clients will have to give effect to the rules prescribed for the transport and removal of sandalwood in Mysore and outside.

15. The successful tenderer is required to execute an agreement on a duly stamped paper, binding himself to the above conditions within fifteen days from the date of intimation of acceptance of tender and at the same time, he shall deposit in the Government Savings Bank Rs. 2,000 including the earnest money already tendered by him under clause (1) above.

16. For breach of any of the above conditions, the deposit paid already will be forfeited, the contract also being liable to be cancelled at the discretion of the Chief Conservator of Forests and the right disposed of otherwise. The order of the Chief Conservator in this respect will be final.

B. V. RAMAIENGAR,
Chief Conservator of Forests.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Notification No. D2. 149-1590-31, dated 3rd May 1932.

It is hereby informed for general information that the exclusive right of collecting the Minor Forest Produce on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrit Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved Lands and Plantations for two years from 1st July 1932 to 30th June 1934, will be sold talukwar by public auction on the dates and at the places specified below:—

Taluk comprised	Place of sale	Date of sale	Officer conducting the sale
KOLAR DISTRICT			
1 Chintamani	District Forest Office, Kolar	15th June 1932	Deputy Commissioner or any Officer deputed by him with the help of the District Forest Officer.
2 Goribidnur	Do do		
3 Chikballapur	Do do		
4 Bowringpet	Do do		
BANGALORE DISTRICT.			
1 Bangalore	Deputy Commissioner's Court Hall, Bangalore.	6th June 1932	Do do
2 Hoskote	Do do		
3 Devanhalli	Do do		
4 Dodballapur	Do do		
5 Kankanhalli	Do do		
6 Magadi	Do do		
7 Anekal	Do do		
8 Channapatna	Do do		
9 Nelamangala	Do do		
10 Closepet	Do do		
MYSORE DISTRICT.			
1 Mysore	Deputy Commissioner's Court Hall, Mysore.	10th June 1932	Do do
2 Heggaddevankote	Do do		
3 Hunsur	Do do		
4 Periyapatna Sub-Taluk	Do do		
5 Yedatore	Do do		
6 Krishnarajapete	Do do		
7 Nagamangala	Do do		
8 Mandya	Do do		
9 Maddur	Do do		
10 Malvalli	Do do		
11 Seringapatam	Do do		
12 Nanjangud	Do do		
13 Gundlupet	Do do		
14 Chamarajnagar	Do do		
15 T. Narsipur	Do do		
HASSAN DISTRICT.			
1 Hassan	District Forest Office, Hassan.	18th June 1932	Do do
2 Channarayapatna	Do do		
3 Hole-Narsipur	Do do		
4 Arkalgud	Do do		
5 Belur	Do do		
6 Manjarabad	Do do		
7 Arsikere	Do do		
8 Alur Sub-Taluk	Do do		
KADUR DISTRICT.			
1 Mudgere	District Forest Office, Chickmagalur.	20th June 1932	Deputy Commissioner or any other officer deputed by him with the help of the concerned District Forest Officer.
2 Chickmagalur	Do do		
3 Kadur	Do do		
4 Narasimharajapura	Do do		
5 Koppa	Do do		
6 Tarikere	Do do		
SHIMOGA DISTRICT.			
1 Shimoga	District Forest Office, Shimoga.	22nd June 1932	Deputy Commissioner or any other Officer deputed by him with the help of the District Forest Officer.
2 Kumsi Sub-Taluk	Do do		
3 Channagiri	Do do		
4 Sagar	Do do		
5 Sorab	Do do		
6 Tirthahalli	Do do		
7 Nagar	Do do		
8 Shikarpur	Do do		
9 Honnali	Do do		

* REMARKS.—Six tamarind trees for the use of Kolipalya and other adjacent villages and one tamarind tree for Doddegowdanapalya villagers numbered by the department a fortnight before the sale are reserved in Chikkarajnagar State Forest.

Taluk comprised	Place of sale	Date of sale	Officer conducting the sale
CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.			
1 Molakalmuru	District Forest Office, Chitaldrug.	25th June 1932 ..	Deputy Commissioner or any other Officer deputed by him with the help of the District Forest Officer.
2 Hiriyur	Do do ..		
3 Hosdurga	Do do ..		
TUMKUR DISTRICT.			
1 Tumkur	District Forest Office, Tumkur.	2nd June 1932	Do do
2 Madhugiri	Do do ..		
3 Pavagada	Do do ..		
4 Sira ..	Do do ..		
5 Chiknayakanhalli	Do do ..		
6 Tiptur	Do do ..		
7 Gubbi	Do do ..		
8 Kunigal	Do do ..		
9 Kortagere	Do do ..		
10 Turuvekere Sub-Taluk ..	Do do ..		

Remarks.—(i) Excludes the produce of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta, Sarvamanya, Kandayam and other lands, which are in the occupancy of private individuals as well as Village "Amarayi" which is sold separately by the Amildar in the Revenue Department.

Village Amarayi consists of the following ten kinds of produce found in the assessed waste, gomal, kharab lands, gavatana and other lands set apart for communal purposes :—

(1) Hunse, (2) Mavu, (3) Seege, (4) Cocoanut, (5) Hippe, (6) Neralu, (7) Halasu, (8) Jali, (9) Honge seeds and leaves, (10) Byala.

(ii) The Village Amarayi of Bangalore and Kadur Districts is included in this contract as per G. O. No. G. 2754-65—Ft. 274-29-6, dated 4th September 1930.

N.B.—(1) The Government will not make any extra demand for lands resigned from occupation and the lessee shall not be entitled to any rebate on account of lands taken for cultivation during the currency of the lease.

(2) The Minor Forest Produce available in the Plantations of Sidlaghatta Taluk, Kolar District, has been leased out separately for a period of eight years from 1st July 1930, *vide* Government Order No. G. 4905-7—Ft. 291-28-4, dated 7th October 1929.

(3) The Minor Forest Produce of Taluks omitted in Kolar and Chitaldrug Districts will be disposed off separately by the concerned District Forest Officers, at Taluk Headquarters separately (*vide* G. O. No. G. 1133-43—Ft. 204-31-2, dated 31st March 1932.

Description of produce.

Tamarind fruit	Kan cardamom	Chilldabija
Seege kayi	Mrsani buds	Chagachebija
Gum	Halmaddi	Guggala
Honey	Hulgal seeds	Nim seeds
Bees-wax	Cinnamon seeds	Cashewnut
Kapilarang	Vetehuli	Pappalichakke
Gerubija or marking nut	Bende fibre	Hippe seeds
Wood apple	Wild olive	Mango fruits
Lichens	Silk cotton	Kalluhuvu
Maradipoppu or charpoppu	Kirichal (State Forest)	Makliberu (State Forest)
Horns	Bendu do	Sogadeberu do
Hides	Linseed	Kakkekayi
Tarikayi	Bolar bark	Somechekke
Kanchagache	Pot stone	Lebi fruit
Gallnut	Rampatre or kanpatre	Inglara
Antavaladakai	Jungle saffron	Nili seeds
Guricharlue	Patanga	Nux-vomica
Wild castor seeds (State Fts.)	Bones	
Kan pepper	Maddi	

Remarks.—The following produce in the localities mentioned below are excluded from the list produce detailed above, as they will be sold as independent items :—

1. Tumkur District ... ... Seethapal, Nux-vomica
2. Bangalore District ... ... Marady seeds, Nux-vomica
3. Shimoga District ... ... Cardamom
4. Hassan District ... ... Alale
5. Chitaldrug District ... ... Tamarind
6. Sagar Division ... ... Nux-vomica, gallnut, wax
7. Kolar District ... ... Tamarind, Seethapal and Marady seeds

2. The auction will commence at 2 P.M., and if it is not concluded on the same day, it will be continued on the next following day at the same hour.

3. Defaulters on account of previous leases will not be permitted to bid.

4. No person will be allowed to bid unless he (1) produces a certificate from the Amildar of the taluk in which he resides in regard to his solvency and its extent or an exchange certificate as provided in clause 5 and (ii) deposits also with the officer holding the sale a sum of Rs. 200 which must be in the form of cash or currency notes.

Note.—In the case of Taluks where the Minor Forest Produce Revenue may not fetch more than Rs. 200, a sum of Rs. 50 only should be deposited with the sale conducting officer.

5. The highest bidder shall deliver his solvency certificate to the officer conducting the sale and get in exchange, if he so desires, a certificate signed by the latter which will be a sufficient authority for him to bid at auction sale in any one of the remaining divisions. This exchange certificate shall be delivered to the officer conducting the sale in case the party named therein happens to be the highest bidder obtaining in lieu thereof, if he wishes a fresh exchange certificate for his use. The exchange certificate will contain all the particulars found in the Amildar's certificate with the details of purchase made in the sales of other divisions as well as in the one, in which the exchange certificate is sought for. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale.

6. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder, subject to the confirmation of the Chief Conservator of Forests and the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, who, at his discretion, may accept or reject the highest or any other bid, without assigning any reason therefor.

7. The successful bidders shall immediately after the close of the sale, credit into the Government Treasury, one-quarter of the total sale amount including the deposit already made together with the local, railway and other cesses, on the entire lease amount at the rates prevailing in the District. In default, the deposit will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resales will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government right but will have no claim to any surplus accruing therefrom. Such losses will be recoverable as an arrear of land revenue.

8. If the sale is not confirmed by the authority concerned, all moneys paid will be refunded to the party.

9. Within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale, the successful bidder shall execute an agreement with one or more sureties to the satisfaction of the District Forest Officer on a stamped paper of proper value procured at his own cost, and also furnish security deposit of Rs. 500 or one quarter of the sale amount whichever is less, for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the contract in the shape of Government Savings Bank Deposit.

In default either to execute the agreement with the necessary sureties or to furnish the required security or both, the contract will be cancelled and the right resold, the defaulter being liable for any deficit in the three-fourths of the original sale amount. He shall have no claim to any surplus accruing from such resale, but shall be liable for the loss arising therefrom which will be recovered as an arrear of land revenue under section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation or any other law in force for the time being.

Note.—(i) The solvency and the respectability of the sureties should be proved to the satisfaction of the Deputy Commissioner and the sureties shall be held responsible for all payments to be made under the lease and for the due fulfilment of all the conditions of the contract.

(ii) A sample form of the agreement may be seen at any of the District Forest Offices.

10. The balance of three-fourths of sale amount will be paid in three equal instalments as follows :—

First khist	on or before	1st November 1932.
Second	do	1st March 1933.
Third	do	1st July 1933.

In default to pay the instalments on due dates, the contract will be cancelled and the right resold, the defaulter being liable for any deficit in the amount due to Government less the amount already paid. He shall have no claim on the surplus accruing from such resale, but shall be liable to the loss arising therefrom, which shall be recovered as an arrear of land revenue, under section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation, or any other law in force for the time being.

urther conditions to be entered in the agreement are :—

(*a*) The lessee, his maistries or servants shall not cut or injure any tree in any way on the plea of collecting the produce.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or maistries and servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of the produce.

(c) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sublet it to others without the previous sanction of the Chief Conservator of Forests. If any sub-lessees are approved, such sub-lessees shall not further sublet it without previous sanction.

(d) The coolies employed by the lessee or sub-lessee must take permits from the Range Officers when they enter State Forests.

(e) The lessee or sub-lessee shall keep accounts showing the quantity of the produce collected and removed in accordance with the lease and permit the inspection of such accounts by any Forest Officer of and above the rank of a Ranger having jurisdiction within the area referring to the lease, and the Officers of the Revenue and the Police Departments of and above the rank of an Amildar or Police Inspector, respectively.

(f) The lessee or sub-lessee shall render every month to the District Forest Officer, an account of the number of cart-loads of the produce collected and carted during the month

(g) The lessee or sub-lessee shall provide printed licenses and passes in triplicate for the collection and for the export of the produce under his signature. In the latter case, each cart-load must be covered by a pass. These licenses and passes which will be in books shall be obtained from the Range Forest Officer and will have a seal of the District Forest Officer, impressed. The duplicate copies will be submitted to the Range Forest Officer, on the day on which the license or pass is issued. When the books are completed, the counterfoils should be returned to the District Forest Officer through the Range Forest Officer and fresh supply obtained.

Note.—(1) Forest Forms 84 and 85 shall be used.

(h) The lessee or sub-lessee, his agents or maistries and servants shall be held responsible for any fires caused by negligence either by themselves or by their workmen and shall prevent the occurrence of fires in the Forests in which they may be working and render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally. They will be liable also under the Forest Regulation, irrespective of any action that may be taken under the contract.

(i) The lessee or sub-lessee shall remove out of the limits of the taluk before the 30th June 1934, all the produce collected and stored under the terms of the lease.

(j) Neither the lessee nor sub-lessee, nor his employees, shall enter the State Forests either before sunrise or after sunset.

(k) No collection of the Minor Forest Produce will be permitted in the State Forests during the fire season, *i.e.*, from the 15th February to end of April of each year.

(l) The lessee or sub-lessee shall not interfere with the recognised rights of Inamdars.

(m) The lessee or sub-lessee has no right to the produce or trees on occupied lands and the village Amarai as detailed in para 1 above.

(n) No damage will be caused to the trees while collecting the Minor Forest Produce, any such damage will be assessed by the Range Forest Officer, which will be approved by the District Forest Officer. The District Forest Officer's decision in the assessment of the damages will be final. The assessed damages will be recovered from the security deposit of the lessee.

(o) The lessee or sub-lessee shall hold responsible himself for the acts of his agents or servants in the business of collection and transport.

11. In the event of breach of any of these conditions, the lease will be cancelled or the security amount forfeited in whole or in part or both these penalties will be enforced at the discretion of the District Forest Officer, the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, or the Chief Conservator of Forests as the case may be. In the case of mere forfeiture of the deposit amount, in part, or in full, the difference will be made good immediately by the contractor, and if not, the lease will be cancelled and resold at the risk of the original purchaser, who will be liable for any loss which will become recoverable as an arrear of land revenue but not participate in any profits.

B. V. RAMIENGAR,
Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

Notification dated 20th May 1932.

It is notified for general information that the right of collecting tolls at the toll-gate at Sunkadakatte of the Heggaddevankote Range on the Antharasanthe-Kymara Road, from 1st July 1932 to 30th June 1933 will be sold by public auction at Antharasanthe, on 18th June 1932, at 2 P. M., by the District Forest Officer or any other officer authorised by the District Forest Officer, Mysore District. The sale will be subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer or the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore as the case may be.

2. Defaulters on account of previous contracts will not be permitted to bid.

3. The contractor who purchases the right must collect tolls at the rates mentioned in Schedule A, both for in-coming and out-going traffic and at no higher rates.

4. The District Forest Officer or the Chief Conservator of Forests reserves to himself the power of refusing or accepting the highest or any bid that may be offered.

5. The sale amount is payable in twelve equal monthly instalments due on or before the 10th of each month. The contractor shall pay as soon as the sale is over, a deposit equal to two months' instalments for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount in deposit will, if the conditions of the contract are complied with, be credited towards the instalments due for the last two months of the contract period.

6. If the deposit is not made immediately after the close of the sale, the contract will be resold at the risk of the approved bidder. If delay is made in the payment of the instalments, interest at nine per cent per annum will be levied till the date of payment, and the unexpired portion of the contract will also be liable to be resold at the discretion of the District Forest Officer or the Chief Conservator of Forests, and the deficit if any, in the resale will be recovered from the contractor, who shall not be entitled to any profits, resulting therefrom.

7. In addition to the sale amount, the contractor is bound to pay local cess at one anna per rupee, education cess at six pies per rupee and railway cess at three pies in the rupee on the contract amount in a lumpsum after the confirmation of the sale.

8. The contractor is also bound to keep an account showing the daily collection and it shall be open to inspection by the Forest and Revenue authorities.

9. He shall also be bound to keep the true accounts of traffic passing through the gates as specified in para 7, for which purpose, he shall bind himself to maintain at his own cost a resident mutsaddi at the toll-gate.

10. The contractor will have the use of existing toll-houses and gates and he will be required to keep them in good order. If any toll-gate or house is required, it will be put up at Government expense, if found necessary.

11. The contractor should conform generally to the rules published in the late Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 274, dated 4th November 1876

12. Carts laden with bones or other substances for use as manure should be treated as carts unladen and tolled on accordingly.

13. Carriages, carts and animals possessed by a person compounding for a sum to be paid under para 64 of the Local Boards Rules of the 9th September 1903, are exempted from the payment of tolls (*vide* Government Order No. 1360-8—L. B. 593-06-2, dated 10th August 1907).

14. Government servants travelling on duty who are certified by their respective immediate superiors as being not entitled to travelling allowances are exempted from the payment of tolls (*vide* Government Notification No. J. 1683—Legis. 10-07-4, dated 30th November 1907).

15. No toll shall be paid for the passage of troops or military stores or equipages or of police officers on duty or of any person or property in their custody or of any property *bona fide* belonging to Government as established, where proof is required by the production of a pass or certificate from an officer of the department to which the property belongs, authorised by the Deputy Commissioner or by Government to grant such certificates or passes, which pass or certificate shall be delivered at the last toll-gate passed before the cart, a carriage or animal conveying such property reaches the destination noted in such pass or certificate (*vide* Government Proceedings No. 8776-816—L. B. 78-08-16, dated 21st May 1912). Under Government Notification No. R. 9243-59—L. R. 579-14-4, dated 24th April 1915, the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore, is exempted from payment of tolls. No toll shall be levied for the passage of carriages, carts, animals, etc., belonging to His Highness the Maharaja or His Highness the Yuvaraja.

16. Only one toll shall be levied at the toll-gate on any cart, etc., passing along the toll-gate within a period of twenty-four hours, *i.e.*, from sunrise to sunrise.

17. No toll shall be levied for the passages of carriages, carts or animals (*a*) belonging to Local Boards, (*b*) conveying District Fund servants on duty or property in the custody of such servants, (*c*) licensed by the District Board during the period for which they have been licensed and (*d*) engaged by the Postal Department to convey mails (*vide* section 65 of Local Boards Regulation).

18. A table of authorised tolls shall be legibly written in English and Kanarese and shall be put up in a conspicuous place near the toll-gate.

19. The contractor shall execute a stamped mutchalika for the due fulfilment of the contract, subject to the conditions specified above.

19. Any breach of the above rules on the part of the contractor or his servants will render the contract liable to cancellation and deficit in the resale will be recovered from him.

SCHEDULE A.

Traffic.	*Sales.* Rs.	a.	ps
On every motor car	1	0	0
Four-wheeled carriage with passengers	0	12	0
Do without passengers	0	6	0
Two-wheeled carriage with passengers	0	8	0
Do without passengers	0	4	0
Carts, laden	0	4	0
Do unladen	0	2	0
Elephants	1	0	0
Camels, laden	0	4	0
Do unladen	0	2	0
Horses with rider	0	1	0
Do without rider	0	0	9
Ponies with rider	0	1	6
Do without rider	0	0	9
Bullocks laden	0	1	0
Do unladen	0	0	6
Asses, laden	0	0	6
Do unladen	0	0	3
Palanquins with two bearers	0	2	0
Do with more than two bearers	0	4	0
Sheep, goat or pig	0	0	1

H. S. NARAYANA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

TUMKUR DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification dated 13th May 1932.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Notification dated the 13th May 1932, published on pages 494 and 495, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 19th May 1932, regarding the sale of timber at Bukkapatna and Nagalal (Madhugiri Range) to be held on 16th June 1932.

Re-Sale Notification of the Minor Forest Produce, dated 17th May 1932.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting the Minor Forest Produce on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrit Mahal Kavals, State Forest, Reserved lands and Plantations from the date of confirmation of the sale up to 30th June 1932, in the following Taluks of Tumkur District will be resold by public auction by the Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District, or an Assistant Commissioner deputed by him assisted by the District Forest Officer, Tumkur, at the risk of the original purchaser who has failed to pay the instalments due on the 15th April and 15th May 1932. The resale will be held at 2 P.M. on Thursday, 2nd June 1932.

N.B.—For conditions of the sale, please see original tender Notification No. D. 2.-174-1322-29, dated 11th July 1930, of the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore published in the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 24th July 1930, Part VI, pages 821, 822, 823 and 824.

Sl. No.	Taluk	Place of sale	Date of sale	Sl. No.	Taluk	Place of sale	Date of sale
1	Tumkur ..	District Forest Office, Tumkur.	2nd June 1932.	8	Kunigal ..	District Forest Office, Tumkur.	2nd June 1932
2	Madhugiri ..			9	Kortagere ..		
3	Pavagada ..			10	Turuvekere Sub-Taluk ..		
4	Sira ..			11	Kunigal Stud Farm ..		
5	Chiknaikanhalli ..			12	Begur Kaval ..		
6	Tiptur ..			13	Herur Kaval ..		
7	Gubbi ..						

K. REVANNA,
District Forest Officer.

CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

Notification dated 14th May 1932.

It is hereby informed for general information that the exclusive right of collecting the Minor Forest Produce on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrut Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved Lands and Plantations for two years from 1st July 1932 to 30th June 1934, will be sold taluk-war by public auction on the dates and at the places specified below:—

Taluk comprised	Place of sale	Date of sale	Officer conducting the sale
CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.			
1. Chitaldrug ...	District Forest Office, Citaldrug.	25th June 1932	District Forest Officer, Chitaldrug.
2. Challakere ...	Challakere T. B. ...	27th do	
3. Harihar Sub-Taluk	Harihar T. B. ...	30th do	
4. Holalkere ...	Holalkere T. B. ..	28th do	
5. Davangere ...	Davangere T. B. ...	29th do	
6. Jagalur ...	Jagalur T. B. ...	1st July 1932	

Remarks.—Excludes the produce of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta, Sarvamanya, Kandayam and other lands, which are in the occupancy of private individuals as well as Village "Amarayi" which is sold separately by the Amildar in the Revenue Department.

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N.B.—(1) The Government will not make any extra demand for lands resigned from occupation and the lessee shall not be entitled to any rebate on account of lands taken for cultivation during the currency of the lease.

(2) Tamarind will be sold as an independent item.

Description of produce.

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Seege kayi	Mrsani buds	Chagachebija
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Wood apple	Wild olive	Mango fruits
Lichens	Silk cotton	Kalluhuvu
Maradipoppu or charpoppu	Kirichal (State Forest)	Makliberu (State Forest)
Horns	Pith do	Sogadeberu do
Hides	Linseed	Kakkekayi
Tarikayi	Bolar bark	Somechekke
Kanchagache	Pot stone	Lebi fruit
Gallnut	Rampatre or kanpatre	Inglara
Antavaladakai	Jungle saffron	Nili seeds
Guricharlue	Patanga	Nux-vomica
Wild castor seeds (State Fts.)	Bones	
Kan pepper	Maddi	

2. The auction will commence at 2 P.M., and if it is not concluded on the same day, it will be continued on the next following day at the same hour.

3. Defaulters on account of previous leases will not be permitted to bid.

4. No person will be allowed to bid unless he (1) produces a certificate from the Amildar of the taluk in which he resides in regard to his solvency and its extent or an exchange certificate as provided in clause 5 and (ii) deposits also with the officer holding the sale a sum of Rs. 200 which must be in the form of cash or currency notes.

N.B.—In the case of Taluks where the Minor Forest Produce Revenue may not fetch more than Rs. 200, a sum of Rs. 50 only should be deposited with the sale conducting officer.

5. The highest bidder shall deliver his solvency certificate to the officer conducting the sale and get in exchange, if he so desires, a certificate signed by the latter which will be a

sufficient authority for him to bid at auction sale in any one of the remaining divisions. This exchange certificate shall be delivered to the officer conducting the sale in case the party named therein happens to be the highest bidder obtaining in lieu thereof, if he wishes a fresh exchange certificate for his use. The exchange certificate will contain all the particulars found in the Amildar's certificate with the details of purchase made in the sales of other divisions as well as in the one, in which the exchange certificate is sought for. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale.

6. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder, subject to the confirmation of the Chief Conservator of Forests and the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, who, at his discretion, may accept or reject the highest or any other bid, without assigning any reason therefor.

7. The successful bidders shall immediately after the close of the sale, credit into the Government Treasury, one-quarter of the total sale amount including the 'deposit' already made together with the local, railway and other cesses, on the entire lease amount at the rates prevailing in the District. In default, the deposit will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resales will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government but will have no claim to any surplus accruing therefrom. Such losses will be recoverable as an arrear of land revenue.

8. If the sale is not confirmed by the authority concerned, all moneys paid will be refunded to the party.

9. Within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale, the successful bidder shall execute an agreement with one or more sureties to the satisfaction of the District Forest Officer on a stamped paper of proper value procured at his own cost, and also furnish security deposit of Rs. 500 or one quarter of the sale amount whichever is less, for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the contract in the shape of Government Savings Bank Deposit.

In default either to execute the agreement with the necessary sureties or to furnish the required security or both, the contract will be cancelled and the right resold, the defaulter being liable for any deficit in the three-fourths of the original sale amount. He shall have no claim to any surplus accruing from such resale, but shall be liable for the loss arising therefrom which will be recovered as an arrear of land revenue under section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation or any other law in force for the time being.

Note.—(i) The solvency and the respectability of the sureties should be proved to the satisfaction of the District Forest Officer and the sureties shall be held responsible for all payments to be made under the lease and for the due fulfilment of all the conditions of the contract.

(ii) A sample form of the agreement may be seen at any of the District Forest Offices.

10. The balance of three-fourths of sale amount will be paid in three equal instalments as follows :—

First khist	on or before	1st November 1932.
Second	do	1st March 1933.
Third	do	1st July 1933.

In default to pay the instalments on due dates, the contract will be cancelled and the right resold, the defaulter being liable for any deficit in the amount due to Government less the amount already paid. He shall have no claim on the surplus accruing from such resale, but shall be liable to the loss arising therefrom, which shall be recovered as an arrear of land revenue, under section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation, or any other law in force for the time being.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement are :—

(*a*) The lessee, his maistries or servants shall not cut or injure any tree in any way on the plea of collecting the produce.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or maistries and servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of the produce.

(*c*) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sublet it to others without the previous sanction of the Chief Conservator of Forests. If any sub-lessees are approved, such sub-lessees shall not further sublet it without previous sanction.

(*d*) The coolies employed by the lessee or sub-lessee must take permits from the Range Officers when they enter State Forests.

(*e*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall keep accounts showing the quantity of the produce collected and removed in accordance with the lease and permit the inspection of such accounts by any Forest Officer of and above the rank of a Ranger having jurisdiction within the area referring to the lease, and the Officers of the Revenue and the Police Departments of and above the rank of an Amildar or Police Inspector, respectively.

(*f*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall render every month to the District Forest Officer, an account of the number of cart-loads of the produce collected and carted during the month.

(*g*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall provide printed licenses and passes in triplicate for the collection and for the export of the produce under his signature. In the latter case, each cart-load must be covered by a pass. These licenses and passes which will be in books shall be obtained from the Range Forest Officer and will have a seal of the District Forest Officer, impressed. The duplicate copies will be submitted to the Range Forest Officer, on the day on which the license or pass is issued. When the books are completed, the counterfoils should be returned to the District Forest Officer through the Range Forest Officer and fresh supply obtained.

Note.—(1) Forest Forms 84 and 85 shall be used.

(*h*) The lessee or sub-lessee, his agents or maistries and servants shall be held responsible for any fires caused by negligence either by themselves or by their workmen and shall prevent the occurrence of fires in the Forests in which they may be working and render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally. They will be liable also under the Forest Regulation, irrespective of any action that may be taken under the contract.

(*i*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall remove out of the limits of the taluk before the 30th June 1932, all the produce collected and stored under the terms of the lease.

(j) Neither the lessee nor sub-lessee, nor his employees, shall enter the State Forests either before sunrise or after sunset.

(*k*) No collection of the Minor Forest Produce will be permitted in the State Forests during the fire season, *i.e.*, from the 15th February to end of April of each year.

(*l*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall not interfere with the recognised rights of Inamdars.

(*m*) The lessee or sub-lessee has no right to the produce or trees on occupied lands and the village Amarai as detailed in para 1 above.

(*n*) No damage will be caused to the trees while collecting the Minor Forest Produce, any such damage will be assessed by the Range Forest Officer, which will be approved by the District Forest Officer. The District Forest Officer's decision in the assessment of the damages will be final. The assessed damages will be recovered from the security deposit of the lessee.

(*o*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall hold responsible himself for the acts of his agents or servants in the business of collection and transport.

11. In the event of breach of any of these conditions, the lease will be cancelled or the security amount forfeited in whole or in part or both these penalties will be enforced at the discretion of the District Forest Officer, the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, or the Chief Conservator of Forests as the case may be. In the case of mere forfeiture of the deposit amount, in part, or in full, the difference will be made good immediately by the contractor, and if not, the lease will be cancelled and resold at the risk of the original purchaser, who will be liable for any loss which will become recoverable as an arrear of land revenue but not participate in any profits.

B. N. IYENGAR,
District Forest Officer.

SHIMOGA FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated the 7th May 1932.

"It is hereby notified for the information of the public that auction sales of timber and sawn materials in the following Depots of the Division, will be held on the dates noted against each. Please see detailed notification published on pages 450 and 451 of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 12th May 1932, Part VI."

1.	Shimoga Depot	25th May 1932
2.	Saw Mill do	26th do
3.	Arasalu do	27th do
4.	Sagar do	30th do
5.	Jog do	31st do

C. A. JABBAR,
District Forest Officer.

BHADRAVATI FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 7th May 1932.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification of date *re* the sale of Muthuga leaves of the Division, published on pages 452 and 453, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 12th May 1932.

Abstract Notification dated 14th May 1932.

The attention of the public is invited to the timber sale Notification of date *re*: the sale of timber in the several sidings and depot of the Division published on pages 495 to 496, Part VI of *Mysore Gazette* of 19th May 1932.

H. V. RANGASWAMIENGAR,
District Forest Officer.

HASSAN DISTRICT.

Abstrct Noitification dated 5th May 1932.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notifications noted below, published on pages 446, 447, 448 and 449, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazettee*, dated the 12th May 1932.

Name of tender	By whom received	Time and date up to which received
1. Right of collecting and carting sandalwood to the Koti from the several Taluks of the District during 1932-33.	The District Forest Officer, Hassan District, Hassan.	Received up to 4 P.M. on 6th July 1932.
2. For the preparation and assortment of sandalwood in the Hassan Sandal Koti during 1932-33.	Do do ...	Do do.
3. For the carting of prepared sandalwood from the Hassan Sandal Koti to the Hassan Railway Station during 1932-33.	Do do ...	Do do

Kind of sale	Place, date and time of sale	By whom conducted
1. Right of collecting grazing fees on cattle moving through Marnahalli and Bisle toll-gates for the ensuing Subramanya Jatra for 1932-33, etc.	At 2 P.M., on 25th June 1932, at the Range Forest Office, Saklespur.	The District Forest Officer, Hassan, or any other officer deputed by him.

MAHOMED PIR,
District Forest Officer.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, No. IV TUNNEL DIVISION, HULIKERE.

Notification.

It is hereby notified for the information of the Public that the Unserviceable stores as per list belonging to No. IV Tunnel Division, will be sold by Public Auction on the 6th June 1932 and subsequent days, if found necessary, commencing from 9 A.M. in the Sub-Division, Stores Yard at Kodiyala. The auction will be conducted by the Assistant Engineer, Kodiyala Sub-Division.

Terms and conditions of auction sale.

1. The articles will be knocked down to the highest bidder.
2. All articles purchased shall be at the risk of the purchasers thereof from the time of sale.
3. All lots shall be removed with faults, errors of all description as sold.
4. Cash shall be paid in full for lot or lots purchased by bidders before delivery, but lot or lots shall be removed from the place of sale only after the close of the sale.